## MORGAN ART IS TO BE PEOPLE'S

Son May Give Plan for Sharing Treasures Within a Week.

CORSAIR CLUB

Depew Describes the Great Man's Delight in Circle of Friends.

Saturday Afternoons Alone in Prayer and Song.

Now that the last will of J. Pierpont Morgan has been set before the public there is great curiosity as to what disposition of the Morgan art treasures will be made by the son, to whom they were bequeathed. At his summer home on East Island, Glen Cove, L. I., J. P. Morgan, Jr., said last night that he had no statement to make. Robert W. de Forest, vice-president and secretary of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, was Club to tell who the other members also unwilling to talk, saying that any were. also unwilling to talk, saying that any were. Joseph H. Choate, Charles statement must come from Mr. Morgan Lanier, Robert Bacon, Frank K. Sturand not from a trustee of the museum.

A man who is very close to Mr. Morgan and is also familiar with the affairs of the museum, let it be known that "Mr. Morgan probably will give a statement of his intentions when he is ready." It was believed yesterday that this would be before the end of the week.

Metropolitan Expected to Get Art.

There was a feeling also that the greater part of the art collection would so to the Metropolitan Museum, possibly not as a gift, for the present at least, but as a loan with conditions that would have the effect of making the treasures, in the words of the Morgan will, "permanently available for the instruction and pleasure of the American people."

The Metropolitan Museum was not mentioned in that clause of the will relating to art collections, but Mr. Morgan's interest and belief in that institution are well known and it seems reasonable to suppose that he had it in mind when he observed in the will that lack of time had prevented him from carrying into effect his purpose to make his collections or part of them permanently available for the public, and when he asked his son to fulfill the father's

alue of \$1,000 to be selected and pur-

#### Depen Tells of Corsair Club.

because not one in 19,000 ever had near of the Corsair Club. Mr. Morgan always passed the content of the Corsair Club. Mr. Morgan and the other members took good care that the meetings of this little company did not get into the papers. The reasons, therefore, and the history of the cinb were explained by ex-United States Senator Chauncey M. Depew at his home, 27 West Fifty-fourth street.

Morgan always passed the content of the content

now Mr. Morgan hated publicity. Well. believe that he loved this club better than any other club of which he was atimacy, with his friends of which he was so fond and because he knew that

ago, that is I became a member twenty nothing on earth was so dear to his seven years ago, and I think that the ub was then new. Two-thirds of the heart as St. George's Church. riginal members are dead, but the club. Came Alone to Sing and Pray. lected by Mr. Morgan from among his closest friends

#### Met Nine Times a Year.

Morgan on the yacht Corsair. Every ear since then the club has met nine mes a year, a dinner every month for nine months in the year. We dined lways there, always happy as host or cuests in from outside.

nest in Washington when I was Sena- for congregational singing. or. Somehow the fact was printed and Mr. Morgan didn't like it. Another inner of the club that stands out in my memory is one that took place on the the members had an estate. It was at time when a grave crisis for the namai Government was approachingthe year was not 1907; long before and in the after dinner talk Mr. Morgan forecast accurately and with tare judgment both the crisis and the

#### The Leader's Verdict Given.

At these dinners and at other times a my long acquaintance with Mr. Moran I came to see that two of his most ronounced mental characteristics were and things was worshipping in the temecuracy of judgment in grasping a ituation and quickness of decision as to

most companionable and that part of other vestryman's share in the gift may his nature had freest play when he was have been not more than \$1. with these trusted friends of his choice. He tarely made jokes, but liked to hear will



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LOVED HIS OLD CHURCH stories of Washington life, as I know. because I used to tell them. "Mr. Morgan and the rest of us talked

with the utmost freedom, and we never ceased to wonder at the knowledge of the world's life which he displayednot merely of business, but of politics. books, the big men of this country and Europe—interested in everything. Mr. Morgan spoke frankly of this and that public man, but never in my life did !

hear him denounce anybody. 'His habit was to be silent when a person he disliked was mentioned. From his manner we knew immediatily just how he felt.

'Mr. Morgan was always an intensely patriotic and religious man and a fine

Some Who May Unve Been Members. Senator Depew said that it would not be right for a member of the Corsair gis, George S. Bowdoin and George E. Pollock are said to be some of them

The Rev. Karl Relland, rector of St. George's Church in Stuyvesant Square. said yesterday he did not know what use would be made of the income of the \$500,000 which Mr. Morgan left

administration of the parish. St. George's is an institutional church. with many activities in which Mr. Morgan was interested, but none of which are specified in the will. He gave the house, deaconesses' home and was the principal donor of its chapel. Mr. Rei-world's welfare. church its trade school, memorial land said that nobody knew how large

In the light of Mr. Morgan's selfrevelation in the first article of his will. referred to above, there are interesting sentences in an article on Mr. Morgan's old fashioned way. He commended his religious faith whish Mr. Reiland wrote own faith to the support and defence of for a recent number of the Outlook. The his children and posterity

churchman, and so he was, very broad and deep. His was not the breadth of and deep. His was not the breadth of extended thinness, but breadth with depth. He disliked any but the plainest. heartiest service in which all could join. expression of this kind can do incalculable. Next to the paragraph in which Mr. He used to say, 'St. George's way is good.

"I wouldn't say

of my death, as a souvenir of myself truth.

"No one who was present on his last ton for them, a piece of silver of the value of \$1,000 to be selected and purities, with his least, single, which gives him a room in the state of \$1,000 to be selected and purities, with his least, single, with his least, single, with the least, single, with the least, single, with the least, single, with the least ton simply, said a theologian. "It follows the Scripture teachings and is considered to single, which all christianity. It might be were on their way home from Atlantic ton the teacher."

In the Coristian dectrine of salvation with the least that the simply, said a theologian. "It follows the Scripture teachings and is considered to support the size of the selected and purities, which gives him a room in the state of the tenement. chased for the purpose by the executors time with his book, singing with strong coice and moist eye his favorite hymn,

This clause was particularly interesting to readers of the published will. Morgan always passed the collection plate in the centre alse. On Com-

You of youthful joy when surrounded by

the members of his family. everything said at its meetings was in entrance to welcome the gathering wor- | lonica shippers. Mr. Morgan has frequently was founded (wenty-seven years said that next to his immediate family

of men, but often sent in his gifts pri- of this State yesterday, depositing frost At the sart it was composed of certain pew and sat in it when he found welve men who were guests of Mr. Size of the congregation sometimes forced him to sit elsewhere and prided but the low temperature did not warned him not to speed. He was an area of the low temperature did not warned him not to speed. He was an area of the low temperature did not warned him not to speed. He was an area of the low temperature did not warned him not to speed. He was an area of the low temperature did not warned him not to speed. He was an area of the low temperature did not warned him not to speed. He was an area of the low temperature did not warned him not to speed. really free church.

When Mr. Reiland went to St. clubs or hotels, never at a member's ouse, as I remember. Mr. Morgan was George's Mr. Morgan said to him. Please do not change our hymn sing-Sometimes we had two or three I don't like a hymn I always sit ing until you know our method. When sts in from outside.

I recollect that the club was my down." But Mr. Reiland says he never saw him sit down. He was enthusiastic

> Tpon the completion of the new Centennial Chapel last fall he came from his office Saturday afternoons and entered the chapel alone," Mr. Reiland went on. "As soon as I learned of this habit I used to go over regularly to meet him there. Sometimes I found him kneeling in prayer or reading, or singing a hymn without organ and alone. He seemed as happy as a child if I sent for one of our organists to play the hymn for us. He would stand in the chancel singing and beating the time with book in hand, thoroughly enjoying

> every moment. "The doors were always closed. No one but the aged sexton and myself know that the great master of men

how the situation should be met, and had never known a man more truly when his judgment was formed his faith humble. In vestry meetings he said in it was implicit. Mr. Morgan's judg-ment approached prophecy. almost nothing. When money was needed for the church and Mr. Morgan "Was Mr. Morgan jovial at the Corsair Club dinners? I could not say that. Mr. Morgan was naturally serious. but as you know, his friends found him will take care of that"—though the

"His solemn profession of faith in the He was always ready to listen to Mr. Reiland said. "Think of the effect

of such a legacy upon his children.

GIFTS PLEASE HARTFORD. De Gas Sass City Has Hoped to Get

HARTFORD, Conn., April 20. Hartford's ending citizens, and particularly the trustees of the Morgan memorial, deeply appreciate the honors to be paid to Hartford by the terms of J. P. Morgan's

Part of Art Treasures.

Dr. Frank B. Gav. speaking at the ompleted third of the memorial this afternoon, voiced the general sentiment We have hoped, of course," he said. That some part of the Morgan aft treasures would be brought to Hartford and housed here. Mr. Morgan was here for the last time in December. Without saving much about it, he really loved this memorial to his father and used to gather his friends around him and, standing at the main entrance

building in America. His two daughters, Mrs. Satterlee and Mrs. Hamilton, were here Thursday. They went through the Main street section and then looked over the two other sections, the sculpture hall and the educational rooms.

would declare. This is the cleanest

Mr. Morgan almost decided last fall send his treasures here when he could not see them in New York and when the art world was wondering when the would be unboxed and exhibited.

The will means so much to the peo- same route was another car of the same ple of Hartford that it will take time to appreciate its significance. If his son brings any large amount of the one ahead it was going at a high speed, treasures to this city, he will probably probably seventy miles an hour. ncrease the annuity for maintenance.

#### HE PUT SPIRITUAL FIRST.

Ministers Praise Opening Words of Mr. Morgan's Will.

of the will of J. Pierpont Morgan. The Rev. Dr. George R. Van de Water, St Andrew's Church, Harlem, read from his of the will as soon as he ascended his pulpit and said:

"Such confession of faith should be used face and chest being crushed. "for the support of the ministry of such confession of faith should be used by all Christian men when taking up the task of making their wills. All Christian lieve that the word "ministry" would men ought in this formal way and place. be broadly interpreted as meaning the to commend Christ's cause to the

in this document I find mention of spiritual affairs. And I find the spiritual mentioned first. This is as it should be. "The good that Mr. Morgan has done

"I am much pleased to note," observed land said that nobody knew how large Mr. Morgan's gift to the church in his lifetime had been.

Trinity Church, Harlem, before he began his sermon, "that Mr. Morgan began his will in the old fashioned way. I would the way became new fashioned again. And Mr. Morgan went further than the

Catholic clergymen and laymen, speak ig of the opening paragraph of His Faith Deep and Strong.

Morgan's will concurred in calling it an atterance of a simple Caristian faith
"Mr. Morgan has been called a broad consistent with the creeds of all churches. It is the expression of a solid Christian An Wete not much hurr

Next to the paragraph in which Mr. Morgan declared his religious faith and entreated his children to maintain and defend the doctrines of the atonement for sin there was most comment yesterday on article XII. of the will.

"I give and bequeath to each of the members of the Corsair Club at the time of my death, as a souvenir of myself."

If wouldn't say that these words show a leaning toward Catholicism," was anothers comment in it is a Christian thought fervently expressed. Any Christian churchman excent the Unitarians who deny the divinity of Christ might have said as much, though not with such that are very beautiful words,"

It is the Caristian doctrine of sure injured seriously this afternoon in the way I like and I hope it will never change. Frequently he urged his action of the way I like and I hope it will never change. The way I like and I hope it will never change. Frequently he urged his action of the way I like and I hope it will never change. The way I leading toward Catholicism." Was an included the way I like and I hope it will never change. The way I lead

#### MORGAN HOSPITAL IN FRANCE.

At the Sunday morning service Mr. Institution at Alx-les-Hains to Be were wrecked and the Inaugurated Thursday.

few days ago before his death to con-"After puting aside hat and cont he vey Mr. Morgan to Aix-les-Bains, where would walk up and down the broad aisle he spent several weeks every spring member, because he found in it that greeting every one who cared to speak following the "cure," frequently in the to him, rich and poor alike, or take his companionship of King George of Philadelphia Man Thrown Directly stand with the parish clergy near the Greece, who was slain recently at Sa

#### GALE BRINGS WINTER BACK.

cury Down to 34.

ately. Though he liked especially a on budding things and putting fear into the hearts of the owners of peach died.

forced him to sit elsewhere and prided But the low temperature did not warned him not to speed. He was an employee of the Underwood Typewriter cannot send out her usual spring plaint. Company North, northeast and northwest of us there were temperatures below freezing. Albany's lowest was 30, and in this

neighborhood the mercury fell to 34. The blast that came with the drop Robert Fisher of Paterson Hit by in temperature gave the impression that it was colder than 34. For ten minutes n the afternoon the anemometer on the Whitehall Building whizzed at a nue, Paterson, died last night in the

sixty mile rate. trouble in the numerous high squalls was struck by an automobile owned by that punctuated the northwester. The John J. Fisher of 666 East Twentyferryboat Flushing, plying between ninth street, Paterson, and driven by Nyack and Tarrytown, was blown on a Clarence Green, at Park avenue and sandbar and stuck four hours, or until and East Eighteenth street. the tide rose. Ten automobile parties aboard fretted much over their plight.

#### FROST DAMAGES FRUIT CROP.

High Winds Also Cause Losses in

Orange County, N. 1. MIDDLETOWN. N. Y., April 20.-1: is feared that much damage has been done to the prospective fruit crop throughout nent merchant of Richmond, was fatally brange county by the present cold wave and high winds.

ice formed to a considerable thickness in many sections last night and high winds uprooted many trees and broke the limbs from many others in some of the best orchards in the county to-day.

Merchants Association Moves. The Merchants Association, which has had its headquarters at 54 Lafayette street, is moving to the Woolworth Building, at 233 Broadway. The association announces that after to-morrow it will be installed in its new offices

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## **Building Construction**

#### H. B. WARNER'S WIFE DIES IN AUTO SMASH

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was not racing with the

of spred that a tire on one of the front two-year-old daughter. wheels burst. Instantly the car, be- women who worked in a factory in the yond control, darted across the road. crashed into a buge boulder and leaped lates. nto the air. Turning completely over t crashed against a telegraph pole and came down on Crosby, who was held in esterday with remarks on the wording place by the steering wheel. Letting. dazed, picked himself out of Hockamock swamp, where he had thrown, and made his way to the near-The machine was raised off Crosby, but he was dead, his head,

> Crosby, who was 27 years of age, was unmarried and leaves an aunt in New

#### TRAIN HITS JERSEY AUTO.

thine at Bloomfield avenue crossing in seemed to have plenty of money. Allwood, near here.

10 Park street. Orange, is in the General a brother-in-law on Chrystie street, but Hospital with a fractured skull and they were all vague and evasive when longing to Leonard Markwith of 30 funds yesterday. Morton place, East Grange. With them On Saturday night he went along was E. M. Hale of 5 Morton place. Chrystie street immaculate in new tan ried some distance on the pilot of the edges and a waistcoat that screamed at engine. Mencel was operated on to- the electric lights, About his destination

were injured seriously this afternoon Russia a year ago, changing their un-City, when their machine ran into that with one window overlooking an alley

The Corsair Club? There's no harm in telling you about it now, so far as I am able," said Mr. Depew. You!

I am able," said Mr. Depew. You. A special train had been ordered a setti, Norma and Gwendoline,

#### AUTO KILLS MOTORCYCLIST.

in Touring Car's Path.

Flog Harbon, N. J., April 20, -1, ones Drew, 25 years old of Philadelphia, was injured fatally here to-day when his motorcycle skidded on the boulevard Northwest Howler Sends the Mer- to Atlantic City and threw him in front of an automobile.

The did not like to place a contribu-ion in the collection plate to be seen down temperatures in every section over his body. Drew's eyes were gouged out and his head crushed. He was taken to a doctor's office, where he

#### CYCLIST'S INJURIES FATAL.

au Automobile.

Robert Fisher of 266 Eleventh ave-General Hospital from injuries received Navigators, local and otherwise had in the afternoon when his motorcycle

#### AUTO HITS CAR, ONE KILLED.

Richmond, Cal., Merchant Badly Injured in trash.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 20. J. C. Arnoid, a Western Pacific engineer, was killed and George B. Upham, a promiinjured to-day when a touring car in which they were riding ran into an elec-

tric car near Stege, across the bay. Two other men who were in the rear seats of the automobile sustained slight injuries and the machine was completely wrecked.

#### Shouts Lost \$100,000 in Fire.

MOBILE, Ala., April 20.—The burning of the winter home of Theodore P. Shonts at Daphne, Ala., on Mobile Bay, near here, last night means a loss of \$100,000, as there were many valuable relics and bric--brac in the place.

# A WOMAN'S LAUGH, A

Young Italian in Tenement Alleyway.

In the Yard Lay Vito Pucilate. His Heart Pierced by Dagger File.

A sleek young Italian with soft white murdered in the alleyway of a Chrystie man's daughter in his pocket. treet tenement vesterday. He was cut pieces with a twelve inch long cobbler's file sharpened down to a fine Pucilate's brother-in-law, and then the

The light laugh of a woman, the task of heckling the neighborhood. sound of a scuffle and the patter of hurrying footsteps brought a six foot bearded Russian to the dead man's RYE BEACH INN BURNS; body a moment after death had come to him in the dark alley just before dawn. But the assassin had fled.

Vito Pucilate is the dead man and he came to a tenement at 182 Chrystie company. Letting says that while street six months ago. There is a little His \$50,000 of Paintings Rethree story building in the yard in the rear of the tenement and there Pucilato took two rooms on the ground floor. He It was while going at this high rate lived with his wife, his mother and his neighborhood boarded with the Puci-

The other tenants saw little of the Pucilates. When the wife watched the little girl at play in the sunny court the janitress of the place, a goodhearted into talk about her husband. He was a laborer, said the wife. To be sure, he worked a little at shoemaking, but he had no shop and repaired the shoes of a few friends in the back room of his apartments. Sometimes the janitress caught

His body was taken to glimpse of him starting out on the few days when there was snow this winter He wore overalls and had a shovel. Yes, the wife said, that was it, he was a snow shoveller. But this didn't keep him very busy, and he would be gone Orange Man Injured Seriously -Two for weeks at a time looking for work in the country, according to Mrs. Pucilato.

PATERSON, April 20. Three men were least resemble a day laborer either in spilled out of an automobile and one of habits or clothes. In the evenings he them badly injured this afternoon when appeared dressed in the loud costumes an Eric Railroad train ran into the ma- of the young Italian spork. He always wore rings and was very careful about The injured man, Henry Mencel of his hands. He had several cousins and shoulder. He was driving a car be- pressed as to the source of the Pucilato

The automobile was wrecked and car- shoes, a smart blue suit pressed to razor

night and will recover. His companions he spoke to no one. It was about 2 o'clock yesterday mornig when Charles Shaefer, the big bearded brother of Edward, lanitor's her and man of all work, who lives in the basement of an Italian tenemen Both Machines Wreeked and Riders at 194 Chrystic street, a few houses tenement, awakened from a sound sleep Charles and Edward came here from pronounceable names for convenience. of steps on Chrystle street to the bac into the hallway of the tenement cars were scattered about the Kings Charles, worn with tramping the streets

> alleyway. As Edward stumbled sleep-By toward the door hurrying footsteps

ran up the alley toward the street.

The Russian came to the alleyway and it seemed empty. He fumbled about DEAD MAN, MYSTERY and it seemed empty. He fumbled about a moment and finally succeeded in lighting a match. He held it high above his head and its feeble light fell on what the big fellow thought at first was a Police Baffled by Murder of bundle of rags. As he went toward it a second match showed him the body of a man lying on his back with his arms flung out. Edward thought the man was drunk. But as he bent over he saw that which sent him bellowing out into deserted Chrystie street. The SCUFFLE AWOKE SLEEPER file handle was sticking out above the man's heart. His soft hands were cut where he had seized the sharp

edges. The police found eleven wounds in the region of Pucilate's heart, any one of them enough to have killed him. There was a deep bruise on the back of his head. A purple and green silk handkerchief he had in his pocket was cut to ribbons. The file had slashed the hands, who posed as a day laborer, was corner of a photograph of the dead

The body was identified at the Morgue later in the morning by Bar-tolo Goldate of 201 Chrystic street, detectives began the almost hopeless

## HONEST JOHN KELLY OUT

moved When Lease Expired Last Fall.

Rys, N. Y., April 20 .- Rye Beach Inn. stopping place for politicians and other New Yorkers, was completely destroyed by fire at 2 o'clock this morning, with a loss of \$40,000. For several or on the hose wagons. years the inn, which was owned by Charles E. McManus, had been run by ters to a hose wagon and pleking Honest John Kelly, the New York several firemen, dashed to the fire

After Kelly had removed paintings Chief James B. Italsted took Se worth \$50,000 to one of his houses in Assistant Chief George Fleming in New York the hotel was leased by auto, while Chief Ernest Elsworth New York the note! was no one in another touring ear.

Montrose & Hardy. There was no one in another touring ear.

The firemen could do little it was being remodelled for the coming keep the fire from destroying th season. Fifteen carpenters, who had bathing pavilion in front of the left their tools in the inn. lost them.

Rye Beach Inn was a landmark of house of Mrs. Joseph Ma the summer resort. Surrounding it are Beck's Hotel, where many cottages and bungalows, and if once did considerable training

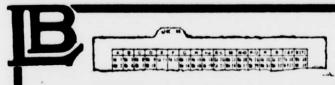
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had not been from the west from the cottages, the colony have been wiped out. The the fire is unknown. Wealthy cottagers of the fire

ment dressed hurrledly and robeach in their automobiles and carrier man hitched up a team of his own to sporting man, whose lease expired last was the first to get a stream on building, which was then ablaze

house of Mrs. Joseph Maxwell and on the wind, which was blowing a gale, buildings were not damaged



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